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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTI-STAGE DATA LOGGING

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This responds to the Office Action dated March 22, 2001 in the above-identified application. Enclosed with the response are: (a) Appendix A, a marked-up version of the amended claims; (b) Appendix B, a listing of all claims that will be pending upon entry of this amendment; (c) an Amendment Fee Transmittal; and (d) a Petition for a three-month Extension of Time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

IN THE CLAIMS:

Marked up versions of all amended claims, showing insertions and deletions, are attached as Appendix A. Matter that has been deleted is indicated by brackets and matter that has been added is indicated by underlining.

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1. (amended) A multi-stage data logging system comprising:
- a) a telecommunications ("telecom") stage receiving input from a plurality of communication channels;
- b) a recorder stage having one or more recorders, at least one recorder logging data associated with information transmitted on at least one of said plurality of communication channels;